Docket Number (Optional): NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO 740756-2972 THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES In re Application of: Shinji MAEKAWA et al. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION [37 CFR 1.89(a)] I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United Application Number 10/579,800 Filed: May 19, 2006 States Postal Service with sufficient postage for first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, or being facsimile transmitted to For: METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING the USPTO at _ SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE Signature: Group Art Unit: 2892 Examiner Hoai V. Pham Name:_ Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner. 540.00 The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 41.20(b)(1)) ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is: A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. ☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2380 (740756-2972). I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) is enclosed. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. I am the ☐ applicant/inventor. /Jeffrey L. Costellia, Reg. No. 35,483/ Signature assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96) attorney or agent of record Jeffrey L. Costellia Typed or printed name attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _ October 23, 2009 Date NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below* *Total of

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